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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 056208.53174US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: **HIGH PRESSURE PUMP AND MANUFACTURING
PROCESS THEREOF**

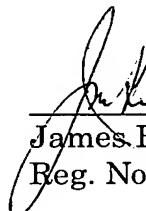
Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 11 claims (pages 25).
2. 7 Sheets of Formal drawings showing Figs. 1-13
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (**executed**).
4. Application Data Sheet
5. Assignment of the invention to Hitachi, Ltd.
6. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document 2003-069072, filed in Japan on March 14, 2003.
7. Certified copy of Priority Document 2003-069072 filed in Japan on March 15, 2003, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
8. Information Disclosure Statement w/two references.
9. — Applicant claims Small Entity Status.
(See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.)
10. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee				\$385/770	= \$770.00
Total Claims	<u>11</u>	-	20	= <u>0</u>	x \$9/18 = \$ 0.00
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Multiple Dependent Claim Presented				\$140/280	= \$
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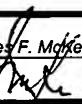
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